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COMPRISING SPECIFIC CHICORY GENES
AND A NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE
CONFERRING MALE STERILITY, AND ITS
USE

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Sir:

This communication is an Amendment and Response to the Office Action dated February 13, 2004, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

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